## **Cultural and Linguistically Humble**

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## Outline

- 1. Introduction
- 2. Influence of own culture in students

Defining motivations and goals for studying abroad

Identifying key elements of their own culture

Costs of adjustment to a new culture

Discussing previous experiences

3. The Cross-Cultural preparation course

Materials with different approaches

Discussion of purposes

4. Adopting books with a Christian perspective

Basic content

Comments

5. Adding a new focus on cultural humility

Definition

Key aspects

Goals

6. Guiding the discussion

Cross-Cultural preparation course

Enhancing the Study-Abroad Experience course

7. A cultural humility approach in language learning courses

Acceptance of differences

The perpetual learner

Self-examination and self-critique

- 8. Conclusion
- 9. References